



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **HAMAGUCHI, et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2635**

Serial No.: **09/582,874**

Examiner: **Scott D. AU**

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For: **ALERTING DEVICE AND RADIO COMMUNICATION DEVICE HAVING THE
ALERTING DEVICE**

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 2, 2004

Sir:

Prior to further examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application
as follows: